

Lesson #31

The Story of Jesus

Chapter 31
“A Day of Judgment”
Part 4 Final!

Sabbath March 28, 2026

Our Tiny-Tots Song

Praise The Lord



Sing A Joyful Song

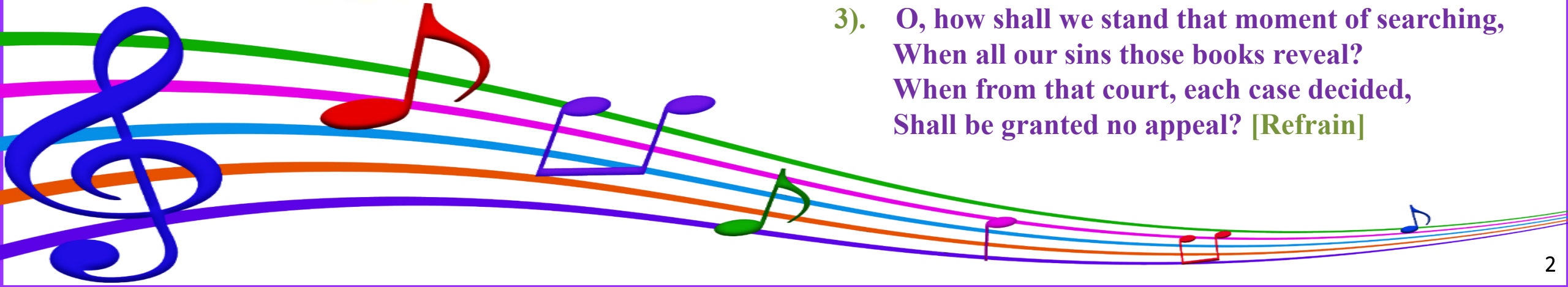
The Judgment Has Set

Hymn #416

- 1). The judgment has set, the books have been opened;
How shall we stand in that great day,
When every thought, and word, and action,
God, the righteous Judge, shall weigh?

Refrain: How shall we stand in that great day?
How shall we stand in that great day?
Shall we be found before Him wanting?
Or with our sins all washed away?

- 2). The work is begun with those who are sleeping,
Soon will the living here be tried,
Out of the books of God's remembrance,
His decision to abide. [Refrain]
- 3). O, how shall we stand that moment of searching,
When all our sins those books reveal?
When from that court, each case decided,
Shall be granted no appeal? [Refrain]





*Opening Prayer-
request one of the little
ones to give prayer.*

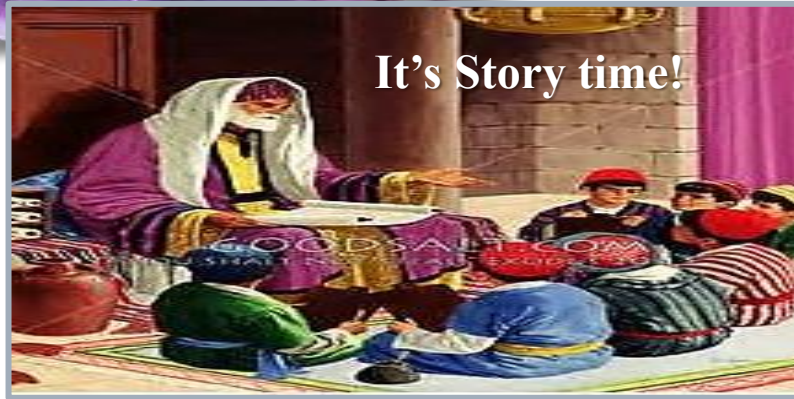


*It's Story time!
For our precious Tiny Tot's
Sabbath Lesson.*

*Let's
use our listening ears
little ones!*



Gather around little ones!



By: [Adapted from EGW
material] (1896, 1900)

This section of our study was inspired by
the Lord for all His precious little jewels.
Our book selection is entitled,
“The Story of Jesus!”
Chapter 31 – A Day of Judgment
Part 4

Narrated by
Our Dear Brother Graves



The Bible verses for our lessons are taken from the following books:

Our opening scripture is taken from:

Revelation 3:5 (KJV)

Remember therefore how thou hast received and heard, and hold fast, and repent.

**If therefore thou shalt not watch, I will come on thee as a thief,
and thou shalt not know what hour I will come upon thee.**

Luke 21:33 (KJV)

Heaven and earth shall pass away: but my words shall not pass away.

Luke 21:34 (KJV)

And take heed to yourselves, lest at any time your hearts be
overcharged with surfeiting, and drunkenness,
and cares of this life, and [so] that day come upon you unawares.

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Continuing with the scriptures

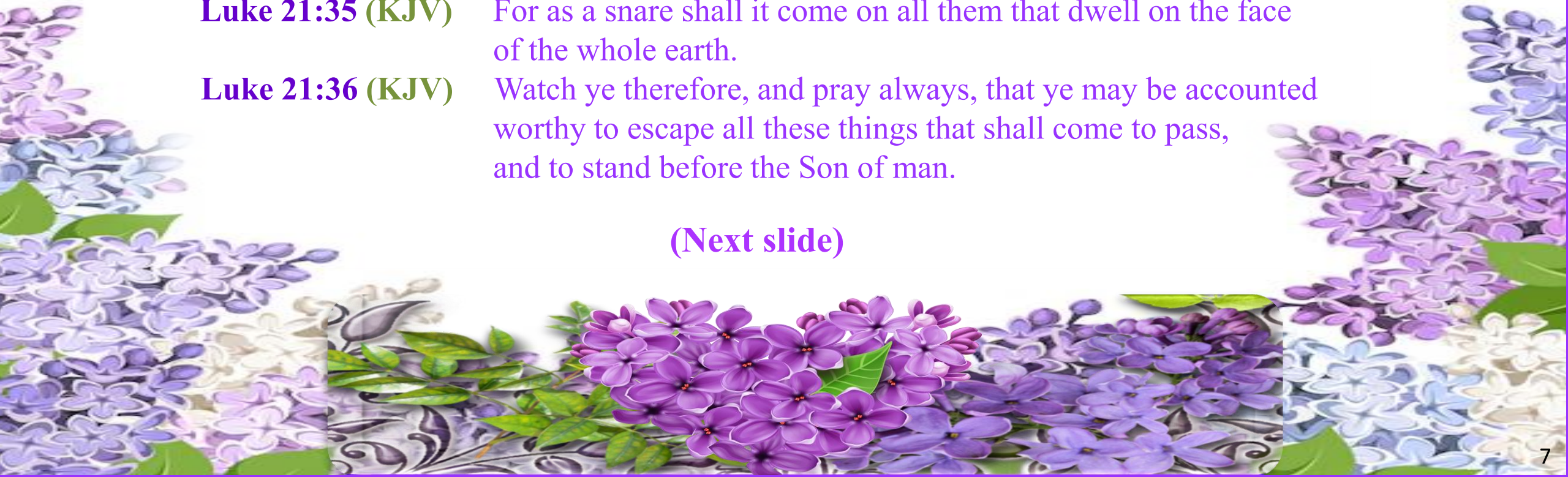
Luke 21:35 (KJV)

For as a snare shall it come on all them that dwell on the face of the whole earth.

Luke 21:36 (KJV)

Watch ye therefore, and pray always, that ye may be accounted worthy to escape all these things that shall come to pass, and to stand before the Son of man.

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Chapter 31 – A Day of Judgment, Part 4

Continuing: Christ declares: “If therefore thou shalt not watch, I will come on thee as a thief, and thou shalt not know what hour I will come upon thee.” **Revelation 3:3.** {SJ 182.1}

Today men are still taken up with eating and drinking,
planting and building, marrying and giving in marriage.

Merchants are still buying and selling.

Men are contending for the highest place.

Pleasure lovers are crowding to theaters, horse races, gambling hells.
Everywhere excitement prevails; yet the day of probation is fast closing,
and the door of mercy is soon to be forever shut. {SJ 182.2}

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Continuing: For us were spoken the Saviour's words of warning: {SJ 182.3}
“Take heed to yourselves, lest at any time your hearts be overcharged with surfeiting,
and drunkenness, and cares of this life,
and so that day come upon you unawares.” **Luke 21:34.** {SJ 182.4}
“Watch ye therefore, and pray always,
that ye may be accounted worthy to escape all these things that shall come to pass,
and to stand before the Son of man.” **Luke 21:36.** {SJ 182.5}

**Next Sabbath, we will be reviewing the first part of our lesson entitled,
“A Day of Judgment” Part 4 in our Tiny Tot’s Lesson book
“The Story of Jesus” April 4, 2026**

HOW SHALL WE STAND IN THAT GREAT DAY?
HOW SHALL WE STAND IN THAT GREAT DAY?
SHALL WE BE FOUND BEFORE HIM WANTING?
OR WITH OUR SINS ALL WASHED AWAY?





*Opening Prayer-
request one of the little
ones or mommies, daddies or
guest to give prayer.*

*Even the precious
creatures
within your gate!*



THE
Family
THAT PRAYS TOGETHER
STAYS *Together*

It's time for our Tiny Tots and Parents
to learn Precious Lessons in
God's creation through Nature.

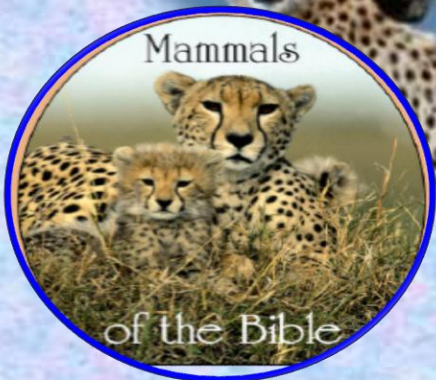
Our topic!

“Mammals” of the Bible

*This Sabbath, boys and girls,
we will continue with our Fifth Topic entitled,
“A Lion’s Life” of our Nature Segment,
“Mammals of Prey- Lions!”*



Let's
use our listening ears
little ones!



**Narrated by
Our Dear Brother Joshua**

FBL Year 2

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Lesson 10 — Walking on Water



The Bible verses for our Nature Segment Lessons 10 entitled, “Walking on water”

Our opening scripture is taken from:

Psalms 89:9(KJV)

Thou rulest the raging of the sea: when the waves thereof arise, thou stillest them.

Matthew 14:32 (KJV) And when they were come into the ship, the wind ceased.

Matthew 14:33 (KJV) Then they that were in the ship came and worshipped him, saying, Of a truth thou art the Son of God.



WE MUST
KEEP OUR EYES
ON
Jesus



Memory Verse



Song of Solomon 4:8 (KJV)

Come with me from Lebanon,
[my] spouse, with me from Lebanon:
look from the top of Amana,
from the top of Shenir and Hermon,
from the lions' dens, from the
mountains of the leopards.

Character Quality

Thankfulness vs Ingratitude
Thankfulness is the expression
of gratitude to God and to others
for how they have benefited my life.



Looking Through Nature

Mammals of Prey – Lions

1. Cats are Mammals

2. Lions

3. The Body of a Lion

4. Lions Hunt

5. A Lion's Life

6. Lion Cubs



Nature Lion Cubs

*"Come with me from Lebanon my spouse...
look from the top of Amana...from the
lions' den, from the mountains of the leop-
ards" (Song of Solomon 4:8).*



At about three or four years of age a female lioness mates. She carries the baby in her body for three and one-half months then her cubs are born, usually in a thicket. The cubs are blind, toothless, and helpless at birth and can barely crawl. They weigh about three to five pounds (1.4 kilograms) each and have dark spots all over their bodies which fade in a few months.



Cubs are born in groups called litters. There are usually three cubs in a litter but there could be as many as five. The first few weeks of life the cubs are hidden in a safe place away from the pride. Then mother brings them to join the “family.” The lions do not have permanent dens. They move the cubs from one hiding place to another. *“He hath forsaken his covert as the lion”* (Jeremiah 25:38). Have you ever seen a domestic cat carry her kittens? That is how, Mrs. Lion carries her babies.



Sometimes, other animals will try to kill the cubs while the lioness is away hunting. In the pride, all of the females care for the young cubs. When one mother is away hunting, the other females feed and watch her young. When all of the adults hunt, the cubs are hidden in tall grass or among the rocks. When mother returns from hunting, the cubs greet her with much meowing, rubbing, and excitement.



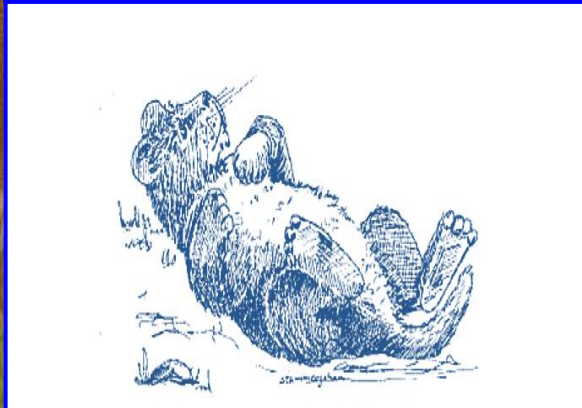
The cubs drink mother's milk until they are about 1 1/2 months old. The mother leads them to a killed animal to eat. The cub then graduates from a milk only diet



to one that includes meat. It can remind us how baby Christians “*desire the sincere milk of the word*” and then graduate to “*strong meat*” (Hebrews 5:14). Little cubs learn to pounce on anything that moves, like a grasshopper or their mother's tail, and by playing with them, they learn hunting skills they will need later. When they are older, the lionesses teach the youngsters how to hunt. Jesus was trying to teach the disciples to trust in Him, as mother lions teach their cubs. When cubs are older, they often lie out in the open waiting for mother to return from hunting. When the cubs are old enough (18 to 24 months) to hunt for themselves, the lioness has another litter.



Lionesses have many very important lessons to teach their young that will save their lives. Jesus was teaching His disciples lessons to help them survive spiritually. A mother lion knows that in time of danger she must not run and expose herself. Instead she must freeze instantly to the ground. If a cub does not learn this important lesson and breaks away at an unexpected noise, the mother will imme-



diately pick it up and bring it back again to the exact place where it had started to run. She puts her heavy paw on the cub's back and pushes it to the ground. It must learn to be still. Before it is ready to meet danger it must first learn obedience and patience. And children, these are the two main character qualities you must learn in order to survive the dangerous time ahead known as "the time of trouble."



When it is time for the cubs to go to the forest and learn how to hunt they must watch motionless as the lioness carefully exaggerates all her movements. The mother lion crouches, then stalks her prey and finally leaps upon it for the kill. She keeps doing this until the little ones have learned enough to join in the demonstration.



Another thing that the mother lion does is to teach her babies to be unafraid of the water. (Jesus was teaching His disciples this in a way.) So that her babies will become skillful swimmers, The lioness takes them near a pool of water. Then she dips her paw into the water and lets them lick off the drops. Next, she chooses a crossing where there is no danger of crocodiles and enters the swift, shallow water, bidding them to follow. (It can remind us how Jesus bade Peter, “Come.”) The young lions must learn cooperation, coordination, speed, and wisdom before they grow up. It can remind us of the many qualities the disciples needed to learn from Jesus.

Male lions are very patient with playful cubs. The cubs will tug at its mane or bat at the black tuft on the end of his tail. A lion's tail is long and thin and is used to swat flies away, balance, and say hello to other lions. If a lion swishes its tail rapidly back and forth he is angry. But babies enjoy chasing it! As the male lion is patient, so Jesus was patient with the disciples as He tried to teach them about faith, **thankfulness**, and other traits of character they needed.



Adam and Eve had control over all the animals while they remained true to God. “The lion and the lamb sported peacefully around them, or lay down together at their feet.” (*Patriarchs and Prophets* 50) God has many beautiful scenes described in the Bible where lions are present. We will enjoy these mammals in the New Earth. Read Isaiah 11:6-7 and 65:25.



Remember: before a cub is ready to meet danger it must first learn obedience and patience.
And children, these are the two main character qualities you must learn in order
to survive the dangerous time ahead known as "the time of trouble."



The Lion and the Lamb

"The wolf also shall dwell with the lamb, and the leopard
shall lie down with the kid; and the calf and the young lion
and the fatling together; and a little child shall lead them.

"And the cow and the bear shall feed; their young ones
shall lie down together; and the lion shall eat straw like the ox.

"The wolf and the lamb shall feed together, and the lion
shall eat straw like the bullock: and dust shall be the serpent's meat.
They shall not hurt nor destroy in all my holy mountain, saith the Lord."

Isaiah 11:6 7; 65:25

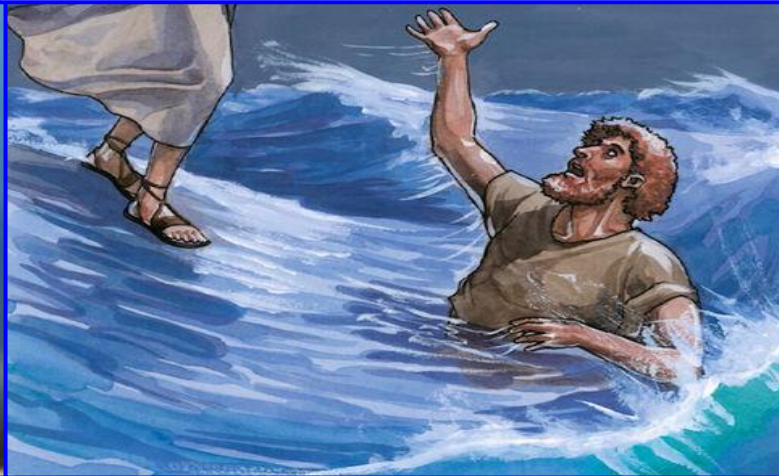


"The wolf will live
with the Lamb,
The leopard will lii leyde down
wnn with the goat."
Isaiah 11:6

Let's learn the meaning of three important characters of these words:



*The Spirit
of Prophecy*



**“To The Law and the Testimonies!”
Isaiah 8:20 (KJV)**

- 1. Thankfulness**
- 2. Obedience**
- 3. Patience**

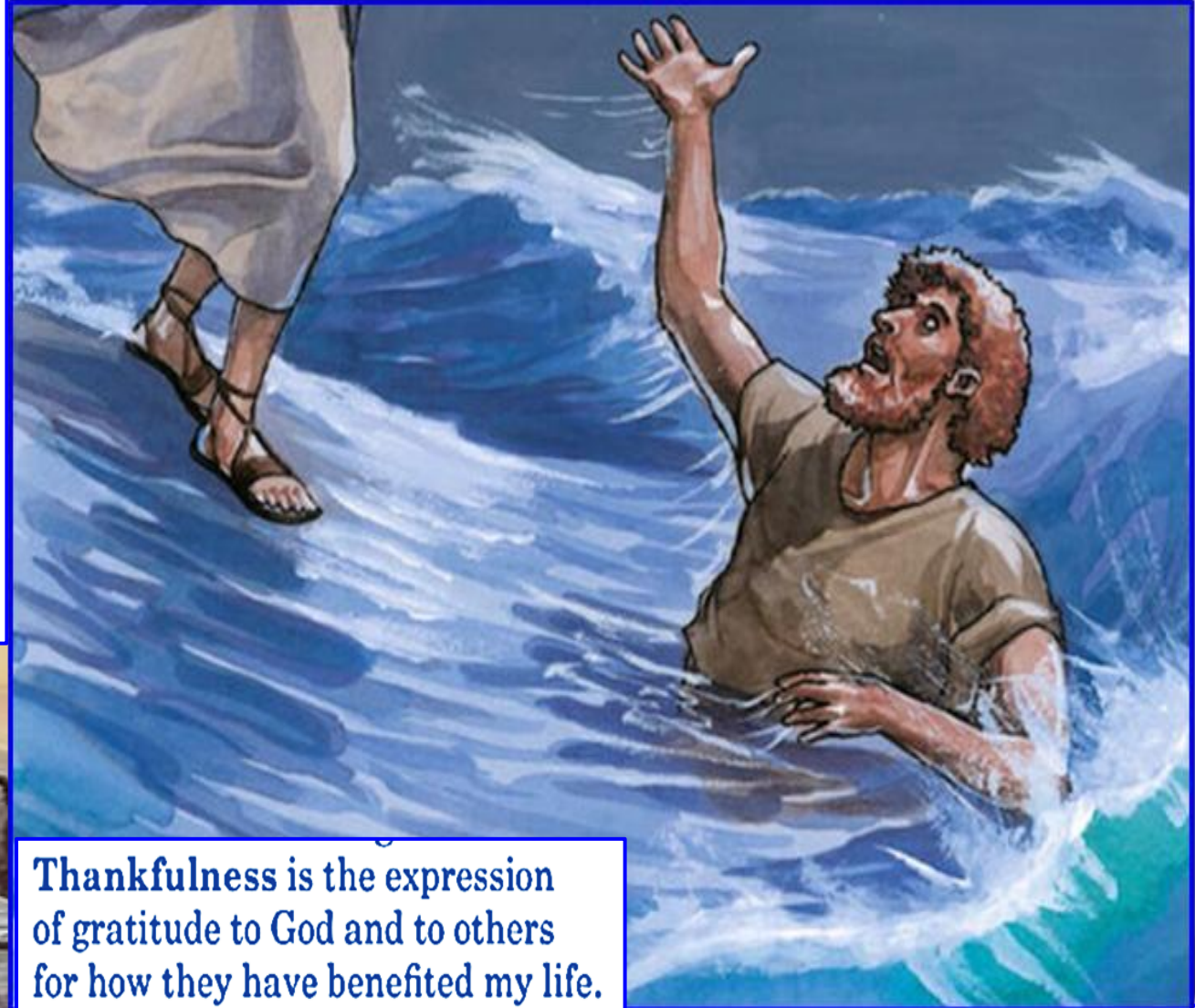


Our First Word is Thankfulness

THANKFULNESS, n. Expression of gratitude; acknowledgment of a favor.

1. Gratitude; a lively sense of good received.

The celebration of these holy mysteries being ended, retire with all thankfulness of heart for having been admitted to that heavenly feast.



Thankfulness is the expression of gratitude to God and to others for how they have benefited my life.

Our Second Word is Obedience

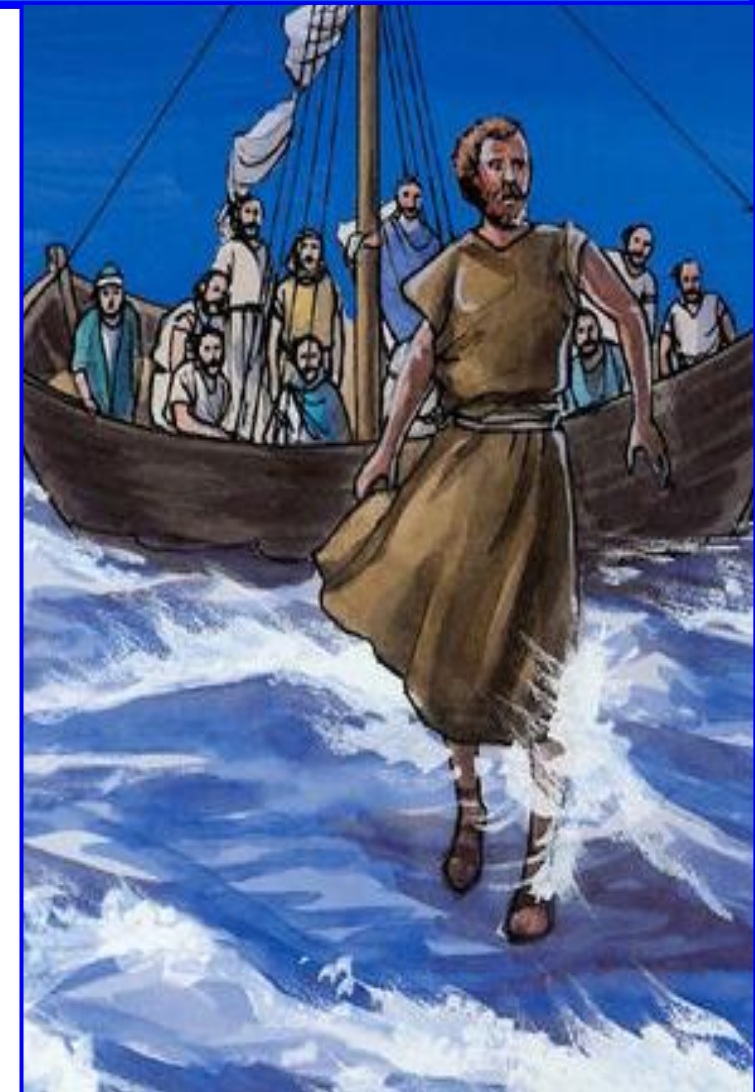
OBEDIENCE, n. [L. obedientia. **See Obey.**]

Compliance with a command, prohibition or known law and rule of duty prescribed; the performance of what is required or enjoined by authority, or the abstaining from what is prohibited, in compliance with the command or prohibition. To constitute **obedience**, the act or forbearance to act must be in submission to authority; the command must be known to the person, and his compliance must be in consequence of it, or it is not obedience.

Obedience is not synonymous with obsequiousness; the latter often implying meanness or servility, and obedience being merely a proper submission to authority. That which duty requires implies dignity of conduct rather than servility. **Obedience** may be voluntary or involuntary.

Voluntary obedience alone can be acceptable to God.

Government must compel the obedience of individuals; otherwise who will seek its protection or fear its vengeance?



Continuing: See Obey

OBEY, v.t. [L. obedio; Gr.]

1. To comply with the commands, orders or instructions of a superior, or with the requirements of law, moral, political or municipal; to do that which is commanded or required, or to forbear doing that which is prohibited.
Children, obey your parents in the Lord. Ephesians 6:1.
Servants, obey in all things your masters. Colossians 3:22.
He who has learned to obey, will know how to command.
2. To submit to the government of; to be ruled by.
All Israel obeyed Solomon. **1 Chronicles 29:23; Daniel 7:27.**
3. To submit to the direction or control of. Seamen say, the ship will not obey the helm.
Let not sin therefore reign in your mortal body, that ye should obey it in the lusts thereof. **Romans 6:12; James 3:3.**
4. To yield to the impulse, power or operation of; as, to obey stimulus.
Relentless time, destroying power, whom stone and brass obey.



Our Third Word is Patience

PATIENCE, n. pa'shens. [L. patientia, from patior, to suffer.]

1. The suffering of afflictions, pain, toil, calamity, provocation or other evil, with a calm, unruffled temper; endurance without murmuring or fretfulness.
Patience may spring from constitutional fortitude, from a kind of heroic pride, or from christian submission to the divine will.
2. A calm temper which bears evils without murmuring or discontent.
3. The act or quality of waiting long for justice or expected good without discontent.
Have patience with me, and I will pay thee all. **Matthew 18:26.**
4. Perseverance; constancy in labor or exertion.
He learnt with patience, and with meekness taught.
5. The quality of bearing offenses and injuries without anger or revenge.
His rage was kindled and his patience gone.
6. Sufferance; permission. [Not used.]
7. A plant, a species of rumex or dock.



WE WILL LEARN MORE ABOUT OUR SIXTH TOPIC,
“LION CUB!”



THE LIFE OF A LION CUB



The Life of a Lion Cub

What is a Baby Lion Called?

“A baby lion is called a cub.

This term is commonly used to describe the offspring of large cats, including lions, leopards, and tigers. Lion cubs are sometimes also referred to as whelps or lionets, though "cub" is the most widely recognized term. These young lions begin life as vulnerable and dependent creatures, growing into the majestic animals we associate with the species.”

“The Birth of a Lion Cub

Lion cubs are born after a gestation period of approximately 110 days. The mother, or lioness, gives birth in a secluded den, hidden from predators and even her pride. Litters typically range from one to four cubs, although larger litters of up to six have been recorded.



Continuing: The Birth of a Lion Cub

At birth:

Lion cubs are blind, helpless, and weigh around 1.5 kilograms (3 pounds).

They rely entirely on their mother for warmth, protection, and nourishment.

Their tiny, spotted coats resemble those of leopards, offering camouflage in the wild.

These spots fade as they grow older, leaving them with the golden-brown coats iconic to adult lions.”



Early Days: Blind, Helpless, and Vulnerable

“The first weeks of a lion cub's life are perilous.

Cubs: Open their eyes about 7-10 days after birth.

Begin to crawl within a few days and walk after 2-3 weeks.

Depend exclusively on their mother's milk for the first 6-8 weeks.

Lionesses frequently relocate their cubs to new dens every few days to avoid predators like hyenas, leopards, and snakes.

The lioness carries her cubs gently by the scruff of their necks during these moves.”



Introducing Cubs to the Pride

“When lion cubs reach around 8 weeks of age, their mother introduces them to the pride. This marks a significant milestone:

The cubs begin socializing with other pride members, including siblings and unrelated cubs.

They start observing pride dynamics and learning the hierarchy.

In the pride, communal care is common. Lionesses often nurse each other's cubs, ensuring better survival rates for the group's offspring.”



Development and Play: Building Skills for Survival

In Conclusion:

“Lion cubs grow rapidly and begin to display playful behaviors early. Play is essential for their development:

Cubs engage in mock fights, chasing, and pouncing, which help them develop hunting and coordination skills.

They imitate adult behaviors, such as stalking prey, through observation and trial.

By the time they are 3 months old, cubs begin eating meat, supplementing their diet of milk. They are gradually weaned off milk by 6-7 months of age.”



NEXT SABBATH BY GOD'S GRACE,
IN OUR REVIEW,
WE WILL LEARN MORE ABOUT OUR SIXTH TOPIC,
"LION CUB!"



*Our Closing Hymn for our Toddler's study is entitled,
"Blest Be the Tie That Binds"*

Hymn #65

1. Blest be the tie that binds
our hearts in Christian love;
the fellowship of kindred minds
is like to that above.
2. Before our Father's throne
we pour our ardent prayers;
our fears, our hopes, our aims are one,
our comforts and our cares.
3. We share our mutual woes,
our mutual burdens bear,
and often for each other flows
the sympathizing tear.
4. When we are called to part,
it gives us inward pain;
but we shall still be joined in heart,
and hope to meet again.

Next Week:

*We will review the first of our Part 4 final
lesson entitled, “A Day of Judgment”
in our study book,
“The Story of Jesus!”*





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The Story of Jesus!

Review

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